Mountain Weather Forecast

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 29 Nov 2023 until 23:59 on Thursday 30 Nov 2023

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 28 Nov 2023 at 16:25 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High confidence for continued cold and wintry conditions through the next 5 days.

Headline for Wednesday 29 Nov 2023: Cloudy, sunny spells and scattered snow showers.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 29 Nov 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** High Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light snow showers (night)	Light snow showers (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Light snow showers	Light snow showers	Light snow showers	Light snow showers (night)	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
30%	20%	10%	60%	50%	30%	30%	10%

Forecast for Wednesday 29 Nov 2023

Weather: Cloudy with a few snow showers, mainly in the north, otherwise mainly dry with clear spells south overnight. Cloudy, bright spells and scattered snow showers in the north. Drier with the best of any bright or sunny spells over southern ranges.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 60% south at first, lowering 30% by the afternoon.

Low Cloud and visibility: Patchy cloud south at first otherwise broken cloud 700-900m lowering 400-600m in snow showers. Visibility will be poor in cloud and snow, otherwise very good.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	17/20 NE	15/18 N	19/23 N	23/27 NW	23/28 NW	22/28 N	21/26 NE	20/25 NE	17/21 NE
900	11/14 NE	9/13 N	10/14 N	11/15 NW	14/18 NW	16/21 N	15/20 NE	14/18 NE	10/13 NE
600	4/9 NW	4/10 N	5/10 NW	8/12 W	8/15 NW	8/16 N	8/16 NE	5/11 NE	3/8 N
300	4/12 N	4/12 N	4/15 NW	6/19 NW	7/17 NW	6/15 N	6/16 NE	4/10 NE	3/9 N
Glen	3/7 N	3/10 NW	4/14 NW	5/15 W	8/18 NW	6/15 N	6/15 N	4/11 NE	2/5 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	-7/-15	-7/-15	-7/-16	-7/-16	-6/-14	-6/-14	-6/-15	-7/-15	-7/-15
900	-5/-11	-5/-11	-6/-12	-5/-11	-4/-10	-4/-11	-4/-11	-5/-12	-5/-11
600	-3/-6	-4/-7	-4/-7	-3/-7	-2/-6	-2/-6	-3/-7	-3/-7	-4/-6
300	-2/-5	-2/-4	-3/-5	-1/-5	0/-3	1/-2	-1/-4	-2/-4	-2/-4
Glen	-2/-4	-1/-3	-1/-4	-0/-3	1/-2	1/-2	0/-3	-1/-3	-1/-3
Freezing Level*	00m	00m	00m	100m	200m	300m	100m	100m	00m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
It will feel very cold at height.

Forecast for Thursday 30 Nov 2023
Weather: Cloudy with bright spells, scattered snow showers over northern ranges mainly dry over southern ranges.

Maximum wind: North 20-25mph gust 35mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 40%

Low Cloud and visibility: Patchy cloud southern ranges at first otherwise cloud will be broken 400-600m Visibility will be poor in cloud and snow, otherwise good.

Temperature: **Glens:** Minus 3 Celsius rising to plus 4 Celsius.
At 800m: Minus 3 Celsius.
Freezing level: 400m

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